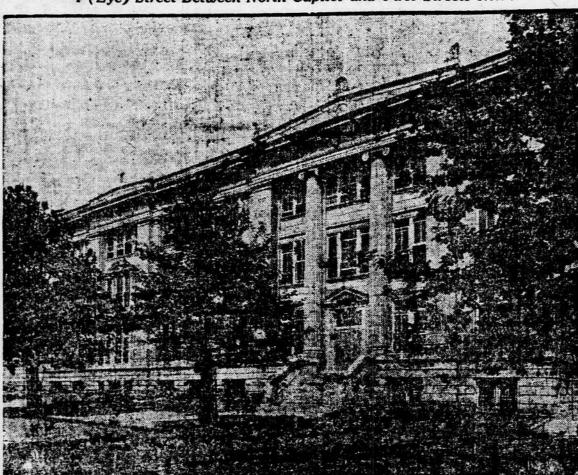
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HEARD AND SEEN HERE AND THERE.

By Earl Godwin.

all call by their first names, like "Jim" Mann and "Jack" Garner, and Oscar Underwood, and others; and there are some whom we all call by the most dignified and distant title possible to But there are only a few whom we call by terms of real endearmentand one of them is "Uncle Tom" Butler of West Chester, Pa., ranking republian member of the naval affairs committee of the House. Now that it is ramed the naval program for the adninistration, and it is his handiwork an hullabaloo that the six-hundred million-dollar naval appropriation bil Authorities for this statement? Why,

es; none other than the words of yes; none other than the words of Claude Kitchin, leader of the democrats. He said it right out loud in the House a week ago Friday:
"This is the Butler program you are putting through," he said.
Be that as it may. Perhaps Uncle Tom Butler is the builder of the three-year plan and the greatest addition to the American navy ever undertaken. What I am thinking of just now is that he is the greatest weather prophet that ever made a prediction. "If he should ever tire representing his district in Congress—which would be calamittous indeed—he would be a most acceptable

the door of his office in the House office building. At that time things were at sixes and sevens all over the shop. No one knew what the program would be. No one knew how much money would be needed, nor how much could be raised, or how it would be raised. There was a dark and murky cloud surrounding the entire



All of which was repeated to news-paper friends and to the public via the great American press. And congress-men who thought they knew sneered at it and laughed and said the bill would be a law in April and all that

date. He was to be allowed to go to New York with me and spend the day in whatever manner he chose, always barring interference from the police. Whatever he chose to do or see or eat or drink, he was to be allowed to do it. That day will be a pivotal date. We were in New Jersey, at Arcola, a garden spot of the universe, and young Harry looked forward to the day somewhat as young Jason must have looked forward to a peep at the golden fleece. We reached New York by a combination of motor car, railroad and ferry and landed at Chmabers street, New York, exactly as the clock ticked York, exactly as the clock ticked

off 9 a.m.
"When will we have lunch?" he asked,

"But you have just had breakfast."

"But you have just had breakfast."

"That was almost two hours ago."

Well, we did things for an hour.

Principally he wanted to ride on the tops of 5th avenue buses, which is an inexpensive amusement, but bores one of mature years. At 11 o'clock, however, he threw his hands into the air and declared that if he did not get something to eat at that instant he would probably die right there in the middle of 5th avenue.

I think this attack was superinduced by the sight of a very famous candy shop with a red front and cartload of chocolate bonbons in the window. When I asked him what he wanted, he replied blandly that he thought a chocolate ice cream soda would stave off complete and utter starvation for a few minutes, so we alighted from the bus and made our way into the shop, where Harry stuck his face in the ice cream soda would stave off complete and utter starvation for a few minutes, so we alighted from the bus and made our way into the shop, where Harry and large bone.

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A man who had gone in the store to order five pounds of candy for some one in the country, looked at Harry and shook his head with a sigh.

"I didn't know there was such complete happiness in the world," he tered as he left.

And then we rode in buses some more

piled up four abreast. Then he ordered chicken and celery—enough to decorate dinner tables from 42d street to Al-

Colonial Beach, Va.

COLONIAL BEACH, Va.., August 26 .-

Hotel, is spending a week with his family at their cottage. Charles McElfresh is

Mr. and Mrs. James McElfresh, at the

latter's cottage here. Mr. and Mrs.

Misses Ruth Humphrey, Mary Langley

nd Helen Humphrey have returned to

the summer as guests of Mr. and Mrs

Frank Lamb. Miss Irene Cusick has

by their son Phearson.



Ray Pullman, our fellow-townsman and head cop, must have a grand time when he goes to lunch at the Press Club. That's where no one calls him major and every one calls him Ray. Here's a sample of what he gets there: "Hello, Ray."

"Say, Ray, when are your traffic cops going to learn not to make signals in three directions at once?"

Atlantic City.

and Mrs. Knox came to the Shelburne this week. Among the visitors at the Traymore was Dr. Lauro Muller, mincame with his son and his secretary to stay a few days before going to Ottawa Dr. F. Marina of the Venezuelan emwas here for a short stay. Chairman McChord of the interstate commerce

and Mrs. P. N. Woodson, F. B. Hausmann, J. Swift and George White.
Washington guests at other hotels are: The Breakers—J. Dent Farr, Miss Loretto, Mrs. J. F. Deeds and family, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hull, G. W. Gibbins, R. M. Rogers, F. J. Sheehan, V. Hoffman, F. M. Darr, Ed Lansdale, Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Swain, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bailey, Mr. and Mrs. J. Humphries, Walter McMullen, H. A. Williams, J. R. Davis, W. R. Hood, Edward Gibson and son, J. W. Harper, Miss M. O. Connor, M. A. Harper, H. Lachman and family, H. G. Weideman, A. Weigman, E. L. Stoffoner, Louis Patrick, Charles Langboght, H. Davis, William R. Korn, H. B. Lovejoy, Miss M. Heeley, George Mueller, L. Carter, C. Holmes, Mr. and Mrs. Hughes, Alfred Clark, C. Satterley, Catherine Waters, A. Buck, R. C. Larenson, Mrs. Hagerty, F. B. Lemon, Mr. and Mrs. B. Romer, Mr. and Mrs. James Taylor, Mrs. Anna Judgson.

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Which is really remarkable weather prophecy.

Reading in a famous book by a famous man on the care of children, I ran across a statement that children under ten years of age shouldn't be allowed to eat corn, celery, lettuce, eggplant and a lot of other things, and that they shouldn't be allowed to have cream on their cereal.

My mind ran back to August 22, 1915—just about a year ago—when I acted as chaperon for a boy whose ninth birthday occurred on that immortal date. He was to be allowed the government of the control of the cream on their cereal.

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€ape May, N. J.

CAPE MAY, N. J., August 26.—Com-modere A. B. Bennett of the Corinthian Yacht Club, Washington, is here with his yacht, and is a guest at the Corinthian Yacht Club of Cape May.

J. F. Abbott of Washington is passweek. Miss Clara Richardson of Washing a vacation at the Hotel Cape May. week. Miss Clara Richardson of Washingto, is the house guest of Mrs. M. I. Weller at Marita Lodge. Miss Mary Winter, daughter of Lieut. Col. Winter of the army, and Miss Mary Collins of Baltimore, motored to Baltimore Sunday after a visit to Miss Mary Mc-Carthy here. Howard French of Baltimore is visiting Jack Galloway at the latter's cottage. Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Galloway, have returned to their cottage after a motor trip to Lonaconing and other places in western Maryland. Mrs. E. F. Spofford of Washington is registered at the Hotel Cape May for a fortnight's stay at the shore.

Mr. and Mrs. Carlton L. Wood of
Washington are among the new arrivals at the Hotel Cape May, where they

Along the Jersey Coast.

Along the Jersey Coas

Arundel-on-the-Bay.

ARUNDEL-ON-THE-BAY, Md., Au-

gust 26 .- Mrs. Nulton, wife of Capt.

Louis M. Nulton, acting superintendent

of the Naval Academy, and Misses Mary

and Eliza Magruder of Annapolis were

among the visitors here during the

Hot Springs, Va.

The Boy Scouts

IN THE WET" AT THE CAMP OF TROOP 3 AT BURNT SPRINGS LAST WEEK.



underneath. All scouts sat a few yards

There is great rivalry in the mess hall to see which table can remain the cleanest. It is exceedingly difficult to judge the neatest table, but the American flag has lately been seen on table if the most. William Parsons is the table effect.

brother's troop, No. 55, are at camp. The game of "night attack" was played last Wednesday evening in camp. The object was for the attack-ing party to break through the line of defense without being touched. In all of Camp Director Patton's scout experiences he has never known the defense to fail to win. But, that night, with Joe Wandsleben as the leader of the attacking party, the defense was heaten.

What had never before been done was, at last, accomplished. Wild joy reigned during the attack, especially as it had been announced before the game that three boxes of candy would be divided among the winners. The defense had considered that candy its.

But Wandsleben announced that the attack would divide the candy with the defense.

ULRIC S. GENSLINGER ULRIC S. GENSLINGER,

Troop Communications.

Carl Brudin, scribe of Troop 3, Charles Pryor, scoutmaster, sent in the following report of the latest activities of his troop:
"On Saturday, August 9, fourteen members of Troop 3 met at Mr. Pryor's home and at 3 o'clock in the afternoon started for Burnt Mills, Md., where we held our second overnight camp. After putting up the tents and eating supper we gathered around the fire for a watermelon feast.

Camp Butt Activities.

A short campfire was held after Camp
Butt's ceremonial last week. It was
built by the Pyramidal tent and was
said by Camp Director Patton to be the
biggest of the season. A gable was
lows

promoted from assistant patrol leader
of the Panther patrol. Scout Idrys Evans
has been promoted to assistant patrol
leader of the Eagle patrol. Scout Howsistant patrol leader of the Panther
Patrol. Important transfers are as fol-

Scoutmaster Walter E. Marsh of Troop 47 has just recovered from an operation and soon will be able to take up his duties.

ALL INDIANS' SCALPS

Game at Camp Archibald Butt Ends With Midnight Surprise

of Redskins.

camp of the local scouts, is shown by letters received from some of them. The following letter, from Ulric S.

Genslinger of Troop 39, relates inci-

ing day. The boundaries were lines from Camp Butt to Plum point by the road and from camp to the point by the beach. The area of ground covered was about three square miles. The eleven largest boys in camp were chosen as Indians and wore red bandanas about their heads. They were under the leadership of Reginald Zimmerman of New York, who had played the game before.

the game before. Given Five-Hour Start.

"Camp Director Patton and Mr. Foster, two of the referees, had seen the